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For: DETECTION, IDENTIFICATION AND DIFFERENTIATION OF EUBACTERIAL  
TAXA USING A HYBRIDIZATION ASSAY

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**AMENDMENT**

Responsive to the Official Action dated January 29, 2007, entry and  
consideration of the following amendments and remarks are requested.

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